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Attorney Docket No.

TI-33669.1

First Named Inventor or Application Identifier

Sameer P. Pendharkar

Title

Method of Manufacturing and Structure of Semiconductor Device
with Floating Ring Structure

Express Mail Label No.

EV 333322810 US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS
See MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

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1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
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2. Specification [Total Pages] 23
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
 - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure

3. Drawing(s) (35 USC d113) [Total Sheets] 3

4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages] 1

- a. Newly Executed (original or copy)
 b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR §1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)

[Note Box 5 below]

- i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application,
see 37 CFR §1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5. Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of
the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as
being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is
hereby incorporated by reference therein.

6. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)

- a. Computer Readable Copy
 b. Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
 c. Statement verifying identical of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & Documents(s))

9. 37 CFR §3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) Power of Attorney

10. English Translation Document (if applicable)

11. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations

12. Preliminary Amendment

13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)

14. Small Entity Statement(s) Statement filed in prior application
Status still proper and desired
(PTO/SB/09-12)

15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
if foreign priority is claimed

16. Other:

*A new statement is required to be entitled to pay small entity fees, except where one has been filed in a prior application and is being relied upon.

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment:

Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: 10/155,543.

Prior application Information: Examiner: Long Pham

Group / Art Unit: 2814

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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee	\$770
1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee	\$
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	\$
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	\$
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	\$
SUBTOTAL (1)					(\$770)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

		Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	9	-20** =	0 x 18	= 0.00
Independent Claims	2	-3** =	0 x 86	= 0.00
Multiple Dependent				

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissue, see below

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1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	86	2201	43	Independent Claims in excess of 3
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claims in excess of 3
1204	86	2204	43	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2)				(\$0)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	420	2252	210	Extension of time within second month	
1253	950	2253	475	Extension of time within third month	
1254	1,480	2254	745	Extension of time within fourth month	
1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension of time within fifth month	
1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt.	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (time number of properties)	
1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	

Other fee (specify) _____

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